

Gary Christenson, Mayor

October 20, 2025

The Honorable City Council Malden City Hall 215 Pleasant Street Malden, MA 02148

Re: Malden Cultural Council

Dear Members of the Council:

Pursuant to Title 2, Chapter 16, Section 080 of the Code of the City of Malden, I hereby appoint James Genzale, 12 Florence Street, Unit 511, Malden, Massachusetts, to the Cultural Council, said term to expire on October 20, 2028. Jim will replace Megan Melanson who stepped down at the end of her term.

Jim, who will serve as the Cultural Council's Treasurer, is a Financial Analyst who is hoping to contribute his financial and leadership experience to strengthen Malden's cultural and community initiatives. I believe that Jim's passion for the arts and civic engagement will make him an asset to the Cultural Council.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

GARY CHRISTENSON

Mayor

cc: James Genzale Leilani Ricardo, Cultural Council Chair Sue Tufts, Cultural Council Secretary Odelisa Macedo, Human Resources Director